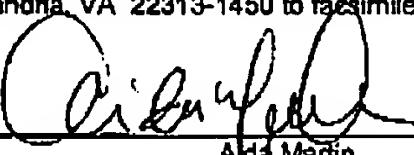


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Docket No. GC396-2

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of ) Group Art Unit: 1652  
 MILLER et al. ) Examiner: RAO, Manjunath N.  
 Serial No.: 09/262,126 )  
 Filed: March 3, 1999 )  
 For: MODIFIED FORMS OF )  
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Office Action dated December 29, 2005:

one month to \_\_\_\_\_; the extension fee is \$120.00.

two months to \_\_\_\_\_; the extension fee is \$450.00.

three months to June 29, 2006; the extension fee is \$1,020.00.

four months to \_\_\_\_\_; the extension fee is \$1,590.00.

five months to \_\_\_\_\_; the extension fee is \$2,160.00.

The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated \_\_\_\_\_.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R.

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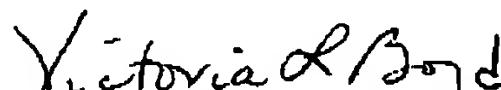
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§§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC396-2). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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